

CHILD INJURIES

IN THE AUCKLAND DHB REGION

INJURIES

(for the period 2008-2012)

3,744 kids were hospitalised for an injury.

of these **97%** were UNINTENTIONAL*

1% were ASSAULT 1% were SELF INFLICTED 1% were UNDETERMINED

*Unintentional means injuries where there is no intent of harm. See "Common causes of injury" for examples.

730 kids are hospitalised EVERY YEAR because of an unintentional injury.



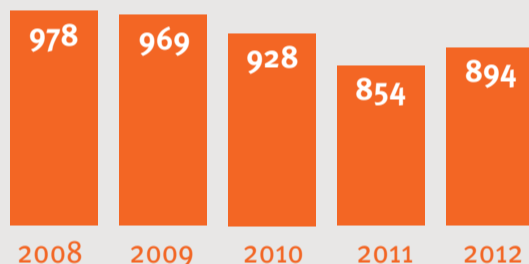
NUMBER OF ADMISSIONS PER YEAR BY ETHNIC GROUP (2008-2012)

Pacific Peoples: 208 (Rate: 1,323.6) | Māori: 113 (Rate: 1,105.2) | European/Other: 304 (Rate: 938.1) | Asian Peoples: 105 (Rate: 509.3)

Rate per 100,000 children per year. Rates are not calculated for fewer than 5 events.

HOSPITAL ADMISSIONS RATE PER YEAR

Rate per year based on per 100,000 children.



COMMON CAUSES OF INJURY

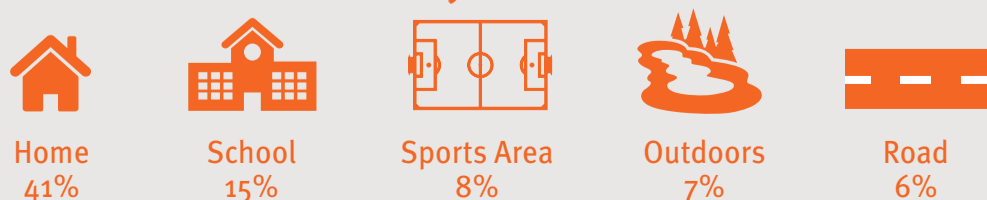
RANK	0-4 years (n=1,452)	5-9 years (n=1,205)	10-14 years (n=991)
1 st	Falls 39%	Falls 62%	Falls 50%
2 nd	Other specified 23%	Other specified 8%	Struck by/against 12%
3 rd	Hot water/surface burn 7%	Cuts/Piercing 7%	Cuts/Piercing 10%
4 th	Struck by/against 7%	Struck by/against 6%	Pedal cyclist (non-MVTC) 7%
5 th	Poisoning 6%	Pedal cyclist (non-MVTC) 4%	Other specified 4%

MVTC = Motor Vehicle Traffic Crash

COMMON TYPES OF INJURY



COMMON PLACES OF INJURY



DEATHS

(for the period 2006-2010)

21 kids died of injury related causes.

of these **71%** were UNINTENTIONAL*

14% were ASSAULT 14% were SELF INFLICTED

<5 kids die every year because of an unintentional injury.



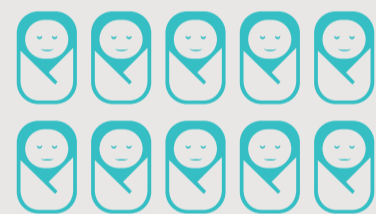
NUMBER OF DEATHS BY ETHNIC GROUP

Pacific Peoples: 9 (Rate: 11.5) | European/Other: <5 | Māori: <5 | Asian Peoples: <5

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LEADING CAUSE OF DEATH

10 children died from suffocation.



Note: Care must be taken when interpreting these figures as there may be some cross-over between suffocation and SUDI. The majority of deaths in this category occurred in infants < 1 year whilst they were in bed.

Other cause is:



WHAT DHB's CAN DO TO PREVENT CHILD INJURIES

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CHILD INJURIES

IN THE BAY OF PLENTY

DHB REGION

INJURIES

(for the period 2008-2012)

2,501 kids were hospitalised for an injury.

of these **97%** were UNINTENTIONAL*

2% were ASSAULT 1% were SELF INFLICTED <1% were UNDETERMINED

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485 kids are hospitalised EVERY YEAR because of an unintentional injury.

60% are boys 40% are girls

10-14 year old kids are most at risk (37%).

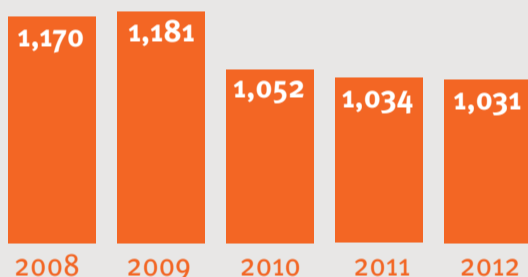
NUMBER OF ADMISSIONS PER YEAR BY ETHNIC GROUP (2008-2012)

European/Other: 251 (Rate: 1,038.9) | Māori: 211 (Rate: 1,193.8) | Asian Peoples: 12 (Rate: 785.1) | Pacific Peoples: 10 (1,108.7)

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HOSPITAL ADMISSIONS RATE PER YEAR

Rate per year based on per 100,000 children.

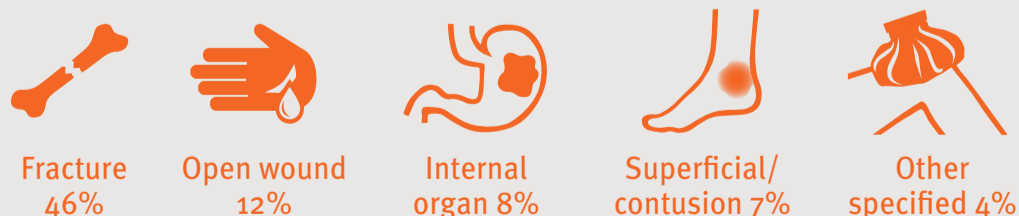


COMMON CAUSES OF INJURY

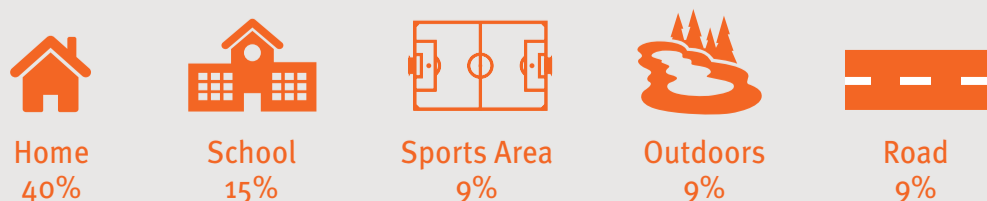
RANK	0-4 years (n=772)	5-9 years (n=756)	10-14 years (n=895)
1 st	Falls 40%	Falls 60%	Falls 42%
2 nd	Other specified 14%	Other specified 6%	Other land transport 12%
3 rd	Poisoning 13%	Pedal cyclist (Non-MVTC) 5%	Struck by/against 9%
4 th	Hot water/surface burn 6%	Natural/environment 4%	Pedal cyclist (Non-MVTC) 9%
5 th	Struck by/against 6%	Cuts/Piercing 4%	Cuts/Piercing 5%

MVTC = Motor Vehicle Traffic Crash

COMMON TYPES OF INJURY



COMMON PLACES OF INJURY



DEATHS

(for the period 2006-2010)

34 kids died of injury related causes.

of these **74%** were UNINTENTIONAL*

12% were SELF INFLICTED 9% were ASSAULT 6% were UNDETERMINED

5 kids die EVERY YEAR because of an unintentional injury.

10-14 year old kids are most at risk (48%).

48% are boys 52% are girls

NUMBER OF DEATHS BY ETHNIC GROUP

Māori: 12 (Rate: 13.7) | European/Other: 12 (Rate: 9.8) | Pacific Peoples: <5

Rate per 100,000 children per year. Rates are not calculated for fewer than 5 events.

LEADING CAUSE OF DEATH

9 children died from a motor vehicle traffic crash as an occupant.



Other causes are:

Suffocation: 6

Drowning: <5

Pedal cyclist (Non-MVTC): <5

Other land transport: <5

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CHILD INJURIES IN THE CANTERBURY DHB REGION

INJURIES

(for the period 2008-2012)

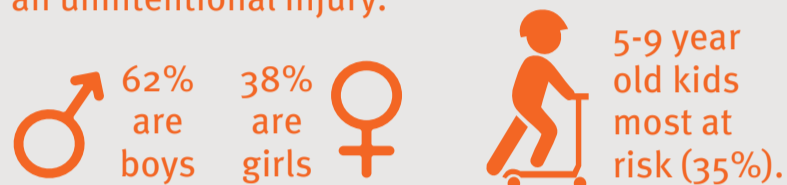
3,841 kids
were hospitalised
for an injury.

of these **97%** were UNINTENTIONAL*

1% were ASSAULT 1% were SELF INFLICTED 1% were UNDETERMINED

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745 kids are hospitalised EVERY YEAR because of an unintentional injury.



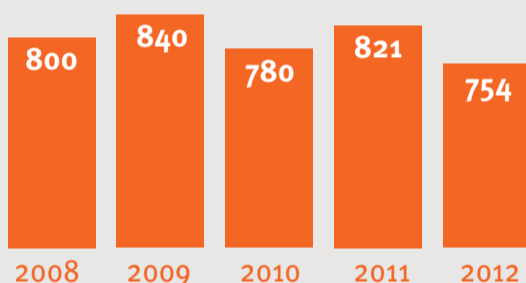
NUMBER OF ADMISSIONS PER YEAR BY ETHNIC GROUP (2008-2012)

European/Other: 592 (Rate: 855.0) | Māori: 93 (Rate: 672.6) | Pacific Peoples: 35 (Rate: 975.9) | Asian Peoples: 25 (377.9)

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HOSPITAL ADMISSIONS RATE PER YEAR

Rate per year based on per 100,000 children.

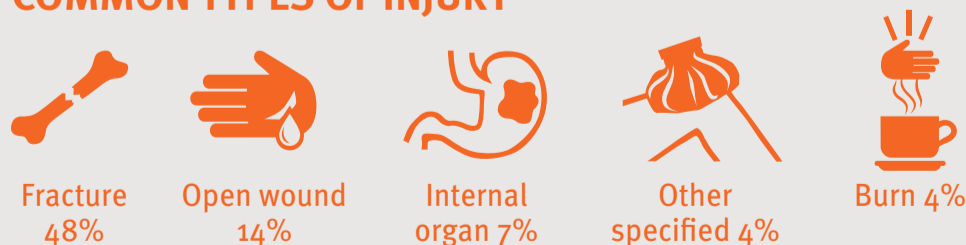


COMMON CAUSES OF INJURY

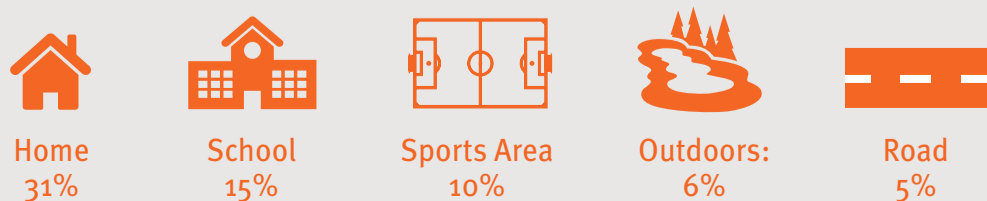
RANK	0-4 years (n=1,248)	5-9 years (n=1,316)	10-14 years (n=1,160)
1 st	Falls 42%	Falls 65%	Falls 49%
2 nd	Other specified 14%	Other specified 8%	Struck by/against 9%
3 rd	Poisoning 12%	Struck by/against 6%	Other land transport 8%
4 th	Hot water/surface burn 8%	Pedal cyclist (Non-MVTC) 4%	Pedal cyclist (Non-MVTC) 8%
5 th	Struck by/against 6%	Cuts/Piercing 4%	Cuts/Piercing 5%

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COMMON TYPES OF INJURY



COMMON PLACES OF INJURY



DEATHS

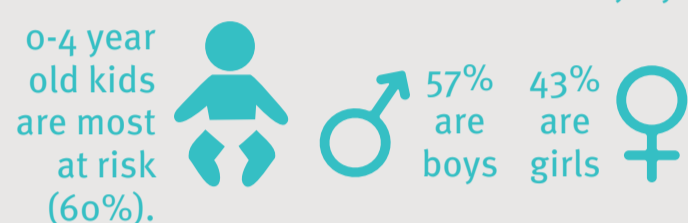
(for the period 2006-2010)

41 kids died of injury related causes.

of these **85%** were UNINTENTIONAL*

7% were SELF INFLICTED 7% were ASSAULT

7 kids die EVERY YEAR because of an unintentional injury.



NUMBER OF DEATHS BY ETHNIC GROUP

Māori: 8 (Rate: 12.1) | European/Other: 23 (Rate: 6.5) | Pacific Peoples: <5 | Asian Peoples: <5

Rate per 100,000 children per year. Rates are not calculated for fewer than 5 events.

LEADING CAUSE OF DEATH

16 children died from suffocation.



Note: Care must be taken when interpreting these figures as there may be some cross-over between suffocation and SUDI. The majority of deaths in this category occurred in infants < 1 year whilst they were in bed.

Other causes are:



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CHILD INJURIES IN THE CAPITAL & COAST DHB REGION

INJURIES

(for the period 2008-2012)

2,299 kids
were hospitalised
for an injury.

of these **97%** were UNINTENTIONAL*

1% were ASSAULT 1% were SELF INFLICTED 1% were UNDETERMINED

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447 kids are hospitalised EVERY YEAR because of an unintentional injury.

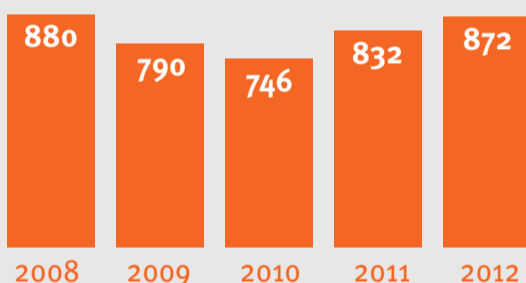


NUMBER OF ADMISSIONS PER YEAR BY ETHNIC GROUP (2008-2012)

European/Other: 269 (Rate: 836.3) | Maori: 90 (Rate: 906) | Pacific Peoples: 60 (Rate: 978.7) | Asian Peoples: 27 (Rate: 459.1)
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HOSPITAL ADMISSIONS RATE PER YEAR

Rate per year based on per 100,000 children.

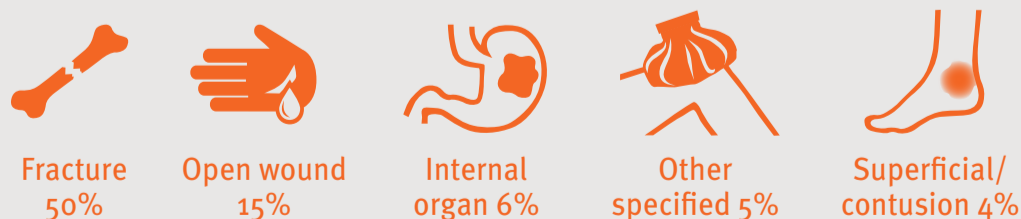


COMMON CAUSES OF INJURY

RANK	0-4 years (n=793)	5-9 years (n=797)	10-14 years (n=645)
1 st	Falls 45%	Falls 72%	Falls 55%
2 nd	Other specified 17%	Other specified 8%	Struck by/against 9%
3 rd	Hot water/surface burn 8%	Struck by/against 5%	Pedal cyclist (Non-MVTC) 7%
4 th	Poisoning 8%	Cuts/Piercing 3%	Cuts/Piercing 6%
5 th	Struck by/against 5%	Natural/environment 3%	Other land transport Overexertion 4%

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COMMON TYPES OF INJURY



COMMON PLACES OF INJURY



DEATHS

(for the period 2006-2010)

11 kids died of
injury related
causes.

of these **73%** were UNINTENTIONAL*

18% were SELF INFLICTED 9% were ASSAULT

<5 kids die EVERY YEAR because of an unintentional injury.

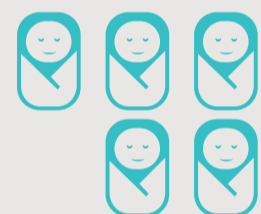


NUMBER OF DEATHS BY ETHNIC GROUP

European/Other: <5 | Maori: <5 | Pacific Peoples: <5 | Other <5
Rate per 100,000 children per year. Rates are not calculated for fewer than 5 events.

LEADING CAUSE OF DEATH

5 children died from suffocation.



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Other causes are:



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CHILD INJURIES

IN THE COUNTIES MANUKAU DHB REGION

INJURIES

(for the period 2008-2012)

5,934 kids
were hospitalised
for an injury.

of these **96%** were UNINTENTIONAL*

2% were ASSAULT 1% were SELF INFLICTED 1% were UNDETERMINED

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1,144 kids are hospitalised EVERY YEAR because of an unintentional injury.



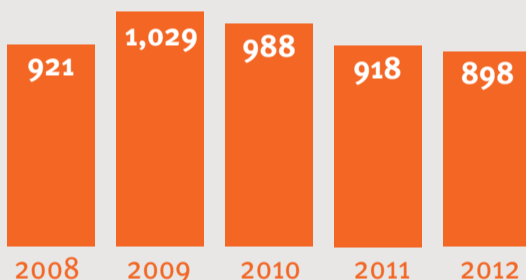
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Pacific Peoples: 411 (Rate: 1,149.9) | European/Other: 323 (Rate: 962) | Māori: 321 (Rate: 1,067) | Asian Peoples: 89 (Rate: 423.3)

Rate per 100,000 children per year. Rates are not calculated for fewer than 5 events.

HOSPITAL ADMISSIONS RATE PER YEAR

Rate per year based on per 100,000 children.



COMMON CAUSES OF INJURY

RANK	0-4 years (n=2,227)	5-9 years (n=1,896)	10-14 years (n=1,595)
1 st	Falls 39%	Falls 58%	Falls 45%
2 nd	Other specified 18%	Other specified 8%	Struck by/ against 12%
3 rd	Hot water/ surface burn 9%	Cut/pierce 7% Struck by/ against 7%	Cuts/ Piercing 9%
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COMMON TYPES OF INJURY



COMMON PLACES OF INJURY



DEATHS

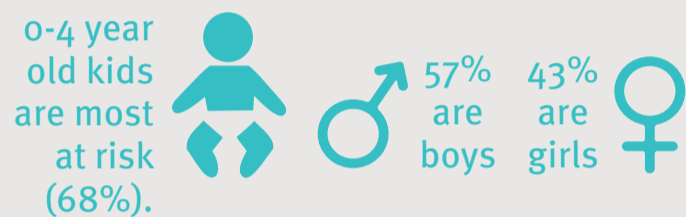
(for the period 2006-2010)

71 kids died of injury related causes.

of these **79%** were UNINTENTIONAL*

11% were ASSAULT 10% were SELF INFLICTED

11 kids die EVERY YEAR because of an unintentional injury.



NUMBER OF DEATHS BY ETHNIC GROUP

Māori: 39 (Rate: 26.8) | Pacific Peoples: 12 (Rate: 7) | European/Other: <5 | Asian Peoples <5

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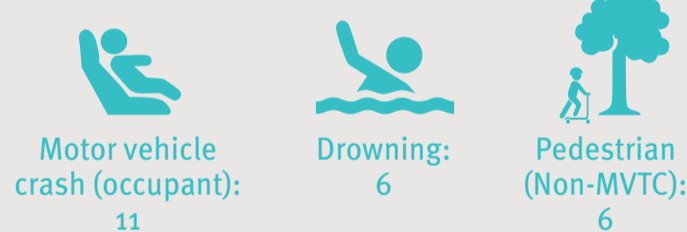
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CHILD INJURIES

IN THE HAWKE'S BAY DHB REGION

INJURIES

(for the period 2008-2012)

1,676 kids were hospitalised for an injury.

of these **97%** were UNINTENTIONAL*

2% were SELF INFLICTED 1% were ASSAULT

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326 kids are hospitalised EVERY YEAR because of an unintentional injury.

61% are boys 39% are girls

0-4 year old kids are most at risk (37%).

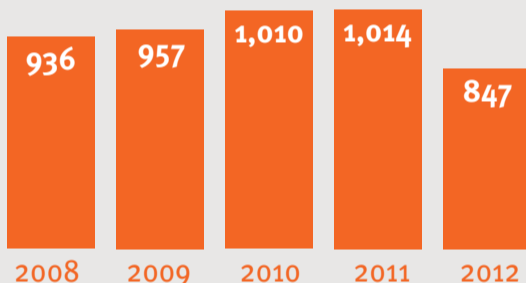
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European/Other: 152 (Rate: 839) | Māori: 152 (Rate: 1,128.1) | Pacific Peoples: 17 (Rate: 1,005.8) | Asian Peoples: 5 (Rate: 538.8)

Rate per 100,000 children per year. Rates are not calculated for fewer than 5 events.

HOSPITAL ADMISSIONS RATE PER YEAR

Rate per year based on per 100,000 children.



COMMON CAUSES OF INJURY

RANK	0-4 years (n=598)	5-9 years (n=543)	10-14 years (n=487)
1 st	Falls 39%	Falls 61%	Falls 41%
2 nd	Other specified 17%	Other specified 9%	Other land transport 11%
3 rd	Poisoning 11%	Struck by/against 5%	Struck by/against 10%
4 th	Struck by/against 7%	Pedal cyclist (Non-MVTC) 4%	Pedal cyclist (Non-MVTC) 9%
5 th	Hot water/surface burn 7%	Cuts/Piercing 4%	Cuts/Piercing 7%

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COMMON TYPES OF INJURY

Fracture 48% Open wound 15% Internal organ 6% Other specified 6% Superficial/contusion 5%

COMMON PLACES OF INJURY

Home 44% School 11% Outdoors 9% Sports Area 7% Road 7%



DEATHS

(for the period 2006-2010)

38 kids died of injury related causes.

of these **95%** were UNINTENTIONAL*

5% were ASSAULT

7 kids die EVERY YEAR because of an unintentional injury.

0-4 year old kids are most at risk (56%).

86% are boys 14% are girls

NUMBER OF DEATHS BY ETHNIC GROUP

Māori: 23 (Rate: 34.8) | European/Other: 8 (Rate: 8.5) | Pacific Peoples: <5 | Asian Peoples: <5

Rate per 100,000 children per year. Rates are not calculated for fewer than 5 events.

LEADING CAUSE OF DEATH

10 children died from a motor vehicle crash as an occupant.



Other causes are:

Suffocation: 9 Pedestrian: 5 Other land transport: <5 Drowning: <5

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CHILD INJURIES IN THE HUTT VALLEY DHB REGION

INJURIES

(for the period 2008-2012)

1,199 kids
were hospitalised
for an injury.

of these **97%** were UNINTENTIONAL*

1% were SELF INFLICTED 1% were ASSAULT 1% was UNDETERMINED

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233 kids are hospitalised EVERY YEAR because of an unintentional injury.

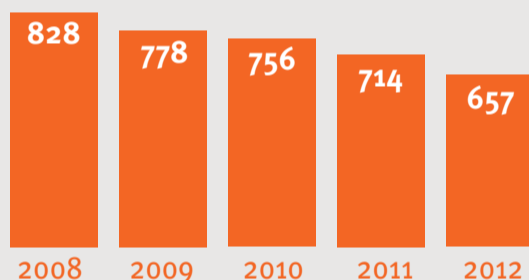


NUMBER OF ADMISSIONS PER YEAR BY ETHNIC GROUP (2008-2012)

European/Other: 119 (Rate: 714.1) | Māori: 75 (Rate: 879.4) | Pacific Peoples: 30 (Rate: 852.3) | Asian Peoples: 10 (Rate: 374.1)
Rate per 100,000 children per year. Rates are not calculated for fewer than 5 events.

HOSPITAL ADMISSIONS RATE PER YEAR

Rate per year based on per 100,000 children.



COMMON CAUSES OF INJURY

RANK	0-4 years (n=415)	5-9 years (n=417)	10-14 years (n=333)
1 st	Falls 34%	Falls 67%	Falls 45%
2 nd	Other specified 21%	Other specified 9%	Struck by/against 13%
3 rd	Hot water/surface burn 11%	Struck by/against 4%	Pedal cyclist 8%
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COMMON PLACES OF INJURY



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(for the period 2006-2010)

23 kids died of injury related causes.

of these **87%** were UNINTENTIONAL*

9% were ASSAULT 4% were SELF INFLICTED

<5 kids die EVERY YEAR because of an unintentional injury.



NUMBER OF DEATHS BY ETHNIC GROUP

Māori: 16 (Rate: 18.6) | European/Other: <5 | Pacific Peoples: <5 | Asian Peoples <5
Rate per 100,000 children per year. Rates are not calculated for fewer than 5 events.

LEADING CAUSE OF DEATH

17 children died from suffocation.



Note: Care must be taken when interpreting these figures as there may be some cross-over between suffocation and SUDI. The majority of deaths in this category occurred in infants < 1 year whilst they were in bed.

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CHILD INJURIES

IN THE LAKES DHB REGION

INJURIES

(for the period 2008-2012)

1,239 kids were hospitalised for an injury.

of these **97%** were UNINTENTIONAL*

2% were ASSAULT 1% were SELF INFLICTED

*Unintentional means injuries where there is no intent of harm. See "Common causes of injury" for examples.

240 kids are hospitalised EVERY YEAR because of an unintentional injury.

61% are boys 39% are girls

0-4 year old kids are most at risk (34%).

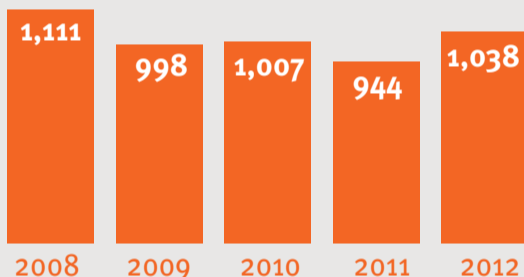
NUMBER OF ADMISSIONS PER YEAR BY ETHNIC GROUP (2008-2012)

Māori: 133 (Rate: 1,126.3) | European/Other: 94 (Rate: 920.3) | Pacific Peoples: 7 (Rate: 945.6) | Asian Peoples: 6 (Rate: 773.2)

Rate per 100,000 children per year. Rates are not calculated for fewer than 5 events.

HOSPITAL ADMISSIONS RATE PER YEAR

Rate per year based on per 100,000 children.



COMMON CAUSES OF INJURY

RANK	0-4 years (n=405)	5-9 years (n=401)	10-14 years (n=396)
1 st	Falls 40%	Falls 60%	Falls 36%
2 nd	Poisoning 12%	Pedal cyclist (Non-MVTC) 7%	Struck by/ against Other land transport 11%
3 rd	Other specified 11%	Struck by/ against 6%	Pedal cyclist (Non-MVTC) 11%
4 th	Hot water/ surface burn 8%	Other specified 5%	Cuts/ Piercing Overexertion 5%
5 th	Struck by/ against 7%	Cuts/ Piercing Other land transport 4%	Motor vehicle crash (occupant) 4%

MVTC = Motor Vehicle Traffic Crash

COMMON TYPES OF INJURY



COMMON PLACES OF INJURY



DEATHS

(for the period 2006-2010)

25 kids died of injury related causes.

of these **88%** were UNINTENTIONAL*

8% were ASSAULT 4% were SELF INFLICTED

4 kids die EVERY YEAR because of an unintentional injury.

0-4 year old kids are most at risk (68%).

55% are boys 45% are girls

NUMBER OF DEATHS BY ETHNIC GROUP

Māori: 19 (Rate: 32.2) | European/Other: <5

Rate per 100,000 children per year. Rates are not calculated for fewer than 5 events.

LEADING CAUSE OF DEATH

10 children died from suffocation.



Note: Care must be taken when interpreting these figures as there may be some cross-over between suffocation and SUDI. The majority of deaths in this category occurred in infants < 1 year whilst they were in bed.

Other leading cause:



Motor vehicle crash (occupant): 6

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CHILD INJURIES

IN THE MIDCENTRAL DHB REGION

INJURIES

(for the period 2008-2012)

1,460 kids were hospitalised for an injury.

of these **97%** were UNINTENTIONAL*

2% were ASSAULT 1% were SELF INFLICTED

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282 kids are hospitalised EVERY YEAR because of an unintentional injury.



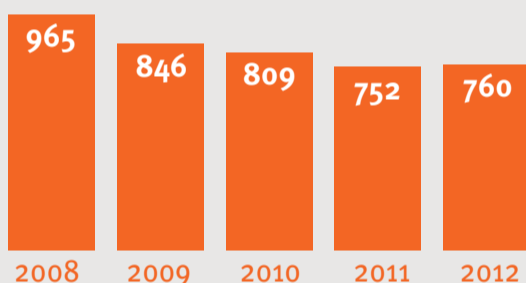
NUMBER OF ADMISSIONS PER YEAR BY ETHNIC GROUP (2008-2012)

European/Other: 181 (Rate: 881.4) | Māori: 82 (Rate: 763) | Pacific Peoples: 12 (Rate: 893.9) | Asian Peoples: 7 (473.6)

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HOSPITAL ADMISSIONS RATE PER YEAR

Rate per year based on per 100,000 children.

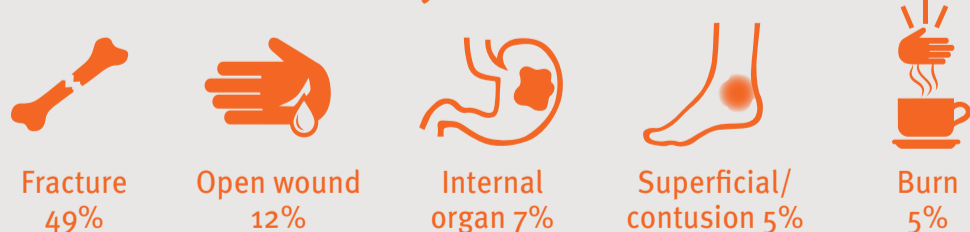


COMMON CAUSES OF INJURY

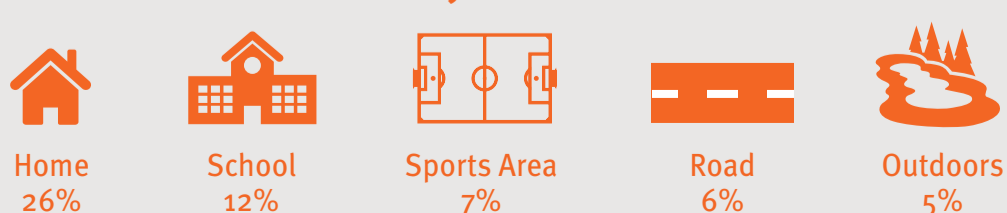
RANK	0-4 years (n=475)	5-9 years (n=480)	10-14 years (n=456)
1 st	Falls 38%	Falls 61%	Falls 40%
2 nd	Poisoning 13%	Other specified 7%	Other land transport 11%
3 rd	Other specified 10%	Struck by/against 7%	Struck by/against 9%
4 th	Hot water/surface burn 9%	Other land transport 3%	Pedal cyclist (Non-MVTC) 9%
5 th	Natural/environment Struck by/against 5%	Pedal cyclist (Non-MVTC) 3%	Cuts/Piercing 6%

MVTC = Motor Vehicle Traffic Crash

COMMON TYPES OF INJURY



COMMON PLACES OF INJURY



DEATHS

(for the period 2006-2010)

27 kids died of injury related causes.

of these **96%** were UNINTENTIONAL*

4% were ASSAULT

5 kids die EVERY YEAR because of an unintentional injury.



NUMBER OF DEATHS BY ETHNIC GROUP

European/Other: 13 (Rate: 12.3) | Māori: 12 (Rate: 22.6) | Pacific Peoples: <5

Rate per 100,000 children per year. Rates are not calculated for fewer than 5 events.

LEADING CAUSE OF DEATH

8 children died from a motor vehicle traffic crash as an occupant.



Other causes are:



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CHILD INJURIES

IN THE NELSON MARLBOROUGH DHB REGION

INJURIES

(for the period 2008-2012)

877 kids were hospitalised for an injury.

of these **96%** were UNINTENTIONAL*

2% were ASSAULT 1% were SELF INFLICTED 1% were UNDETERMINED

*Unintentional means injuries where there is no intent of harm. See "Common causes of injury" for examples.

168 kids are hospitalised EVERY YEAR because of an unintentional injury.

61% are boys 39% are girls



10-14 year old kids are most at risk (34%).

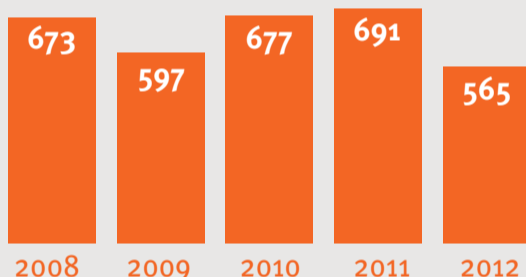
NUMBER OF ADMISSIONS PER YEAR BY ETHNIC GROUP (2008-2012)

European/Other: 138 (Rate: 663.7) | Māori: 25 (Rate: 585.7) | Pacific Peoples: <5 | Asian Peoples: <5

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HOSPITAL ADMISSIONS RATE PER YEAR

Rate per year based on per 100,000 children.

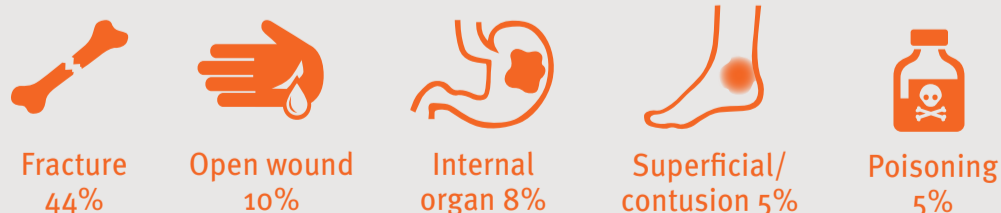


COMMON CAUSES OF INJURY

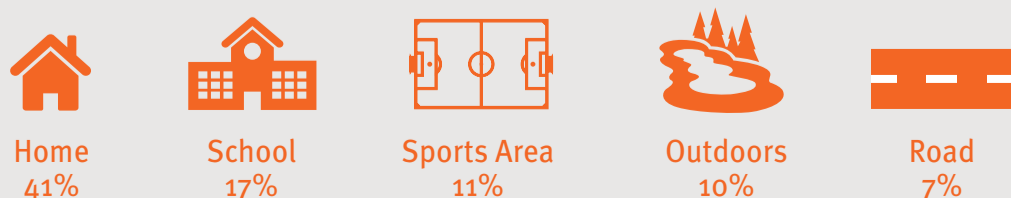
RANK	0-4 years (n=279)	5-9 years (n=272)	10-14 years (n=290)
1 st	Falls 41%	Falls 61%	Falls 46%
2 nd	Poisoning 18%	Pedal cyclist (Non-MVTC) 6%	Pedal cyclist (Non-MVTC) 14%
3 rd	Other specified 8%	Other specified 6%	Other land transport 11%
4 th	Struck by/against 7%	Other land transport 6%	Struck by/against 8%
5 th	Hot water/surface burn 6%	Struck by/against 5%	Overexertion 4%

MVTC = Motor Vehicle Traffic Crash

COMMON TYPES OF INJURY



COMMON PLACES OF INJURY



DEATHS

(for the period 2006-2010)

13 kids died of injury related causes.

of these **85%** were UNINTENTIONAL*

15% were ASSAULT

<5 kids die EVERY YEAR because of an unintentional injury.

0-4 year old kids are most at risk (45%).



64% are boys 36% are girls

NUMBER OF DEATHS BY ETHNIC GROUP

European/Other: 7 (Rate: 6.7) | Māori: <5 | Asian: <5

Rate per 100,000 children per year. Rates are not calculated for fewer than 5 events.

LEADING CAUSES OF DEATH

<5 children died from suffocation.



Note: Care must be taken when interpreting these figures as there may be some cross-over between suffocation and SUDI. The majority of deaths in this category occurred in infants < 1 year whilst they were in bed.

Other causes are:

Pedestrian (Non-MVTC): <5

Fire/Flame: <5

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CHILD INJURIES

IN THE NORTHLAND DHB REGION

INJURIES

(for the period 2008-2012)

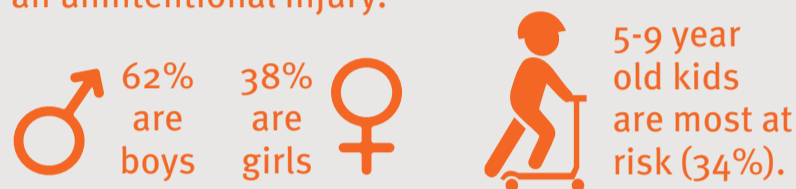
1,689 kids were hospitalised for an injury.

of these **97%** were UNINTENTIONAL*

2% were ASSAULT 1% were SELF INFLICTED

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327 kids are hospitalised EVERY YEAR because of an unintentional injury.



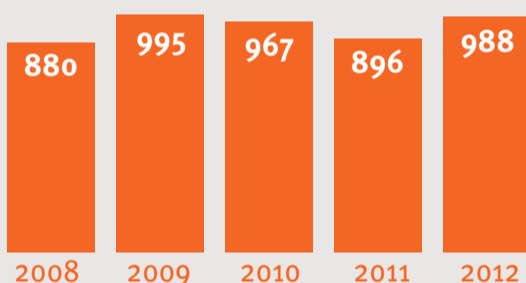
NUMBER OF ADMISSIONS PER YEAR BY ETHNIC GROUP (2008-2012)

European/Other: 139 (Rate: 858.7) | Māori: 177 (Rate: 1,039.9) | Pacific Peoples: 7 (Rate: 1,002.8) | Asian Peoples: <5

Rate per 100,000 children per year. Rates are not calculated for fewer than 5 events.

HOSPITAL ADMISSIONS RATE PER YEAR

Rate per year based on per 100,000 children.



COMMON CAUSES OF INJURY

RANK	0-4 years (n=537)	5-9 years (n=561)	10-14 years (n=537)
1 st	Falls 41%	Falls 58%	Falls 41%
2 nd	Poisoning 11%	Other specified 8%	Other land transport 14%
3 rd	Other specified 9%	Pedal cyclist (Non-MVTC) 7%	Struck by/ against 8%
4 th	Hot water/ surface burn 7% Struck by/ against 7%	Cuts/ piercing 6%	Cuts/ piercing 7%
5 th	Natural/ environment 5%	Struck by/ against 6%	Pedal cyclist (Non-MVTC) 7%

MVTC = Motor Vehicle Traffic Crash

COMMON TYPES OF INJURY



COMMON PLACES OF INJURY



DEATHS

(for the period 2006-2010)

41 kids died of injury related causes.

of these **88%** were UNINTENTIONAL*

7% were ASSAULT 5% were SELF INFLICTED

7 kids die EVERY YEAR because of an unintentional injury.



NUMBER OF DEATHS BY ETHNIC GROUP

Māori: 28 (Rate: 33.2) | European/Other: 7 (Rate: 8.4) | Pacific Peoples: <5

Rate per 100,000 children per year. Rates are not calculated for fewer than 5 events.

LEADING CAUSE OF DEATH

16 children died from suffocation.



Note: Care must be taken when interpreting these figures as there may be some cross-over between suffocation and SUDI. The majority of deaths in this category occurred in infants < 1 year whilst they were in bed.

Other causes are:



Drowning: <5
Pedestrian (MVTC): <5
Burn (Fire/ flame): <5
Other land transport: <5
Pedestrian (Non-MVTC): <5
Poisoning: <5

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CHILD INJURIES

IN THE SOUTH CANTERBURY DHB REGION

INJURIES
(for the period 2008-2012)

334 kids were hospitalised for an injury.

of these **97%** were UNINTENTIONAL*
2% were UNDETERMINED 1% were SELF INFLICTED
*Unintentional means injuries where there is no intent of harm. See "Common causes of injury" for examples.

65 kids are hospitalised EVERY YEAR because of an unintentional injury.

**57%** are boys

**43%** are girls

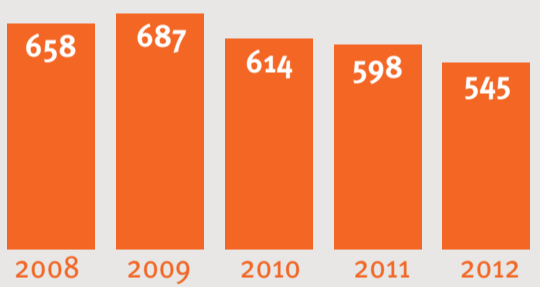
**10-14 year old kids are most at risk (37%).**

NUMBER OF ADMISSIONS PER YEAR BY ETHNIC GROUP (2008-2012)
















European/Other: 54 (Rate: 619) | Māori: 7 (Rate: 540.5) | Pacific Peoples: <5 | Asian Peoples: <5
Rate per 100,000 children per year. Rates are not calculated for fewer than 5 events.

HOSPITAL ADMISSIONS RATE PER YEAR

Rate per year based on per 100,000 children.





COMMON CAUSES OF INJURY


RANK	0-4 years (n=111)	5-9 years (n=94)	10-14 years (n=118)
1 st	Falls  34%	Falls  63%	Falls  38%
2 nd	Poisoning  15%	Pedal cyclist (Non-MVTC)  11%	Other land transport  15%
3 rd	Hot water/surface burn  9%	Cuts/Piercing  4%	Pedal cyclist (Non-MVTC)  14%
4 th	Struck by/against  8%	Struck by/against  4%	Struck by/against  12%
5 th	Other specified  7%	Motor Vehicle Traffic Crash (occupant)  3%	Other specified  3%


MVTC = Motor Vehicle Traffic Crash


COMMON PLACES OF INJURY

**Home**
46%


**School**
13%


**Road**
11%


**Outdoors**
10%


**Sports Area**
6%


COMMON TYPES OF INJURY


**Fracture:**
46%

**Open wound**
11%

**Internal organ** 10%

**Other specified** 5%

**Poisoning**
4%

**Burn**
4%



DEATHS

(for the period 2006-2010)

<5 kids died of injury related deaths and ALL were UNINTENTIONAL

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CHILD INJURIES

IN THE SOUTHERN DHB REGION

INJURIES

(for the period 2008-2012)

2,097 kids were hospitalised for an injury.

of these **96%** were UNINTENTIONAL*

2% were SELF INFLICTED 1% were ASSAULT 1% were UNDETERMINED

*Unintentional means injuries where there is no intent of harm. See "Common causes of injury" for examples.

403 kids are hospitalised EVERY YEAR because of an unintentional injury.

64% are boys 36% are girls



10-14 year old kids are most at risk (36%).

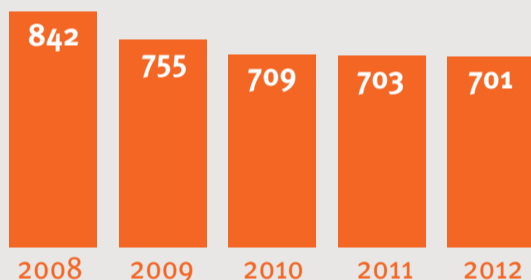
NUMBER OF ADMISSIONS PER YEAR BY ETHNIC GROUP (2008-2012)

European/Other: 327 (Rate: 770.2) | Māori: 56 (Rate: 626.8) | Pacific Peoples: 12 (Rate: 886.9) | Asian Peoples: 8 (Rate: 505.1)

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Rate per year based on per 100,000 children.

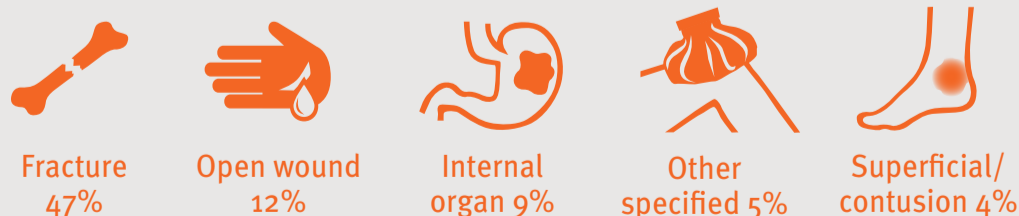


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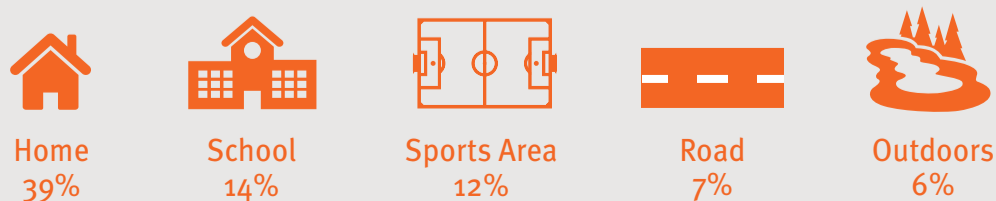
RANK	0-4 years (n=645)	5-9 years (n=642)	10-14 years (n=728)
1 st	Falls 39%	Falls 58%	Falls 44%
2 nd	Other specified 15%	Struck by/ against Pedal cyclist (Non-MVTC) 6%	Other land transport 12%
3 rd	Poisoning 14%	Other specified 6%	Struck by/ against 11%
4 th	Struck by/ against 7%	Other land transport 5%	Pedal cyclist (Non-MVTC) 10%
5 th	Hot water/ surface burn 6%	Cuts/ Piercing 5%	Cuts/ Piercing 5%

MVTC = Motor Vehicle Traffic Crash

COMMON TYPES OF INJURY



COMMON PLACES OF INJURY



DEATHS

(for the period 2006-2010)

16 kids died of injury related causes.

of these **81%** were UNINTENTIONAL*

13% were ASSAULT 6% were SELF INFLICTED

<5 kids die EVERY YEAR because of an unintentional injury.

0-4 year old kids are most at risk (38%).



85% are boys 15% are girls

NUMBER OF DEATHS BY ETHNIC GROUP

European/Other: 9 (Rates: 4.2) | Māori: <5 | Asian Peoples: <5

Rate per 100,000 children per year. Rates are not calculated for fewer than 5 events.

LEADING CAUSE OF DEATH

<5 children died from suffocation.



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Other causes are:



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CHILD INJURIES IN THE TAIRAWHITI DHB REGION

INJURIES

(for the period 2008-2012)

626 kids were hospitalised for an injury.

of these **96%** were UNINTENTIONAL*

1% were SELF INFLICTED 1% were ASSAULT 1% were UNDETERMINED

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121 kids are hospitalised EVERY YEAR because of an unintentional injury.

58% are boys 42% are girls

0-4 year old kids are most at risk (36%).

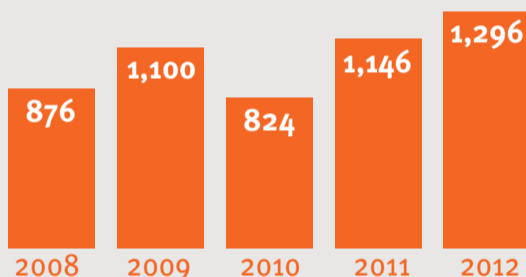
NUMBER OF ADMISSIONS PER YEAR BY ETHNIC GROUP (2008-2012)

Māori: 82 (Rate: 1,129.8) | European/Other: 34 (Rate: 901.4) | Pacific Peoples: <5

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HOSPITAL ADMISSIONS RATE PER YEAR

Rate per year based on per 100,000 children.

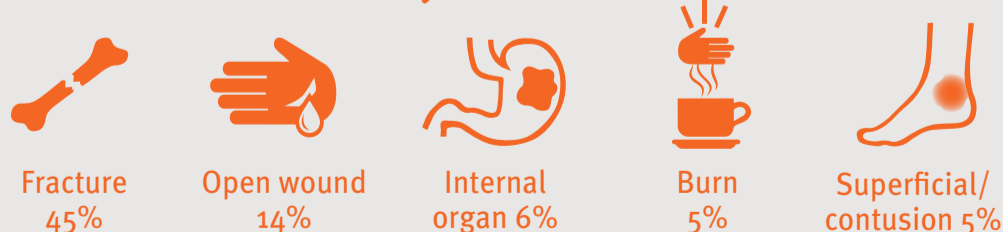


COMMON CAUSES OF INJURY

RANK	0-4 years (n=217)	5-9 years (n=210)	10-14 years (n=176)
1 st	Falls 37%	Falls 52%	Falls 36%
2 nd	Poisoning 11%	Pedal cyclist (Non-MVTC) 9%	Other land transport 13%
3 rd	Hot water/surface burn 10%	Cuts/Piercing 8%	Struck by/against 11%
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MVTC = Motor Vehicle Traffic Crash

COMMON TYPES OF INJURY



COMMON PLACES OF INJURY



DEATHS

(for the period 2006-2010)

10 kids died of injury related causes.

of these **90%** were UNINTENTIONAL*

10% were UNDETERMINED

<5 kids die EVERY YEAR because of an unintentional injury.

0-4 year old kids are most at risk (67%)



ALL are boys

NUMBER OF DEATHS BY ETHNIC GROUP

Māori: 8 (Rate: 22) | European: <5

Rate per 100,000 children per year. Rates are not calculated for fewer than 5 events.

LEADING CAUSE OF DEATH

<5 children died from suffocation.



Note: Care must be taken when interpreting these figures as there may be some cross-over between suffocation and SUDI. The majority of deaths in this category occurred in infants < 1 year whilst they were in bed.

Other leading cause:



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CHILD INJURIES

IN THE TARANAKI DHB REGION

INJURIES

(for the period 2008-2012)

944 kids were hospitalised for an injury.

of these **98%** were UNINTENTIONAL*

1% were SELF INFLICTED 1% were ASSAULT

*Unintentional means injuries where there is no intent of harm. See "Common causes of injury" for examples.

185 kids are hospitalised EVERY YEAR because of an unintentional injury.

62% are boys 38% are girls

10-14 year old kids are most at risk (35%).

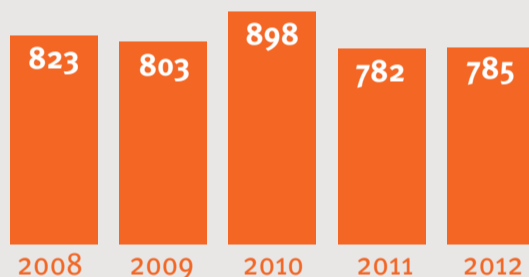
NUMBER OF ADMISSIONS PER YEAR BY ETHNIC GROUP (2008-2012)

European/Other: 129 (Rate: 845.8) | Māori: 50 (Rate: 779.9) | Pacific Peoples: <5 | Asian Peoples: <5

Rate per 100,000 children per year. Rates are not calculated for fewer than 5 events.

HOSPITAL ADMISSIONS RATE PER YEAR

Rate per year based on per 100,000 children



COMMON CAUSES OF INJURY

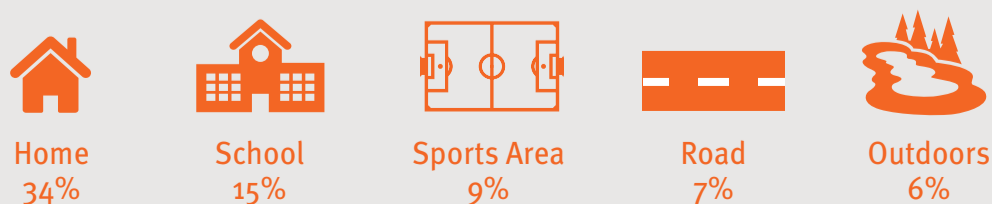
RANK	0-4 years (n=293)	5-9 years (n=311)	10-14 years (n=323)
1 st	Falls 44%	Falls 58%	Falls 39%
2 nd	Poisoning 12%	Pedal cyclist (Non-MVTC) 8%	Other land transport 14%
3 rd	Other specified 11%	Struck by/against 6%	Pedal cyclist (Non-MVTC) 10%
4 th	Hot water/surface burn 7%	Cuts/Piercing 5%	Struck by/against 9%
5 th	Natural/environment 5%	Other specified 5%	Cuts/Piercing 8%

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COMMON TYPES OF INJURY



COMMON PLACES OF INJURY



DEATHS

(for the period 2006-2010)

6 kids died of injury related causes.

ALL were UNINTENTIONAL*

<5 kids die EVERY YEAR because of an unintentional injury.

0-4 year old kids are most at risk (83%).

50% are boys 50% are girls

NUMBER OF DEATHS BY ETHNIC GROUP

Māori: <5 | European/Other: <5

Rate per 100,000 children per year. Rates are not calculated for fewer than 5 events.

LEADING CAUSES OF DEATH



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CHILD INJURIES

IN THE WAIKATO DHB REGION

INJURIES

(for the period 2008-2012)

3,659 kids were hospitalised for an injury.

of these **98%** were UNINTENTIONAL*

1% were SELF INFLICTED 1% were ASSAULT

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714 kids are hospitalised EVERY YEAR because of an unintentional injury.

63% are boys 37% are girls

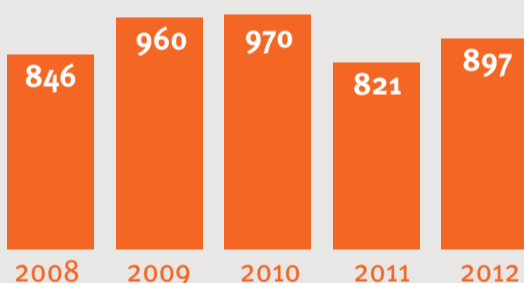
10-14 year old kids are most at risk (34%).

NUMBER OF ADMISSIONS PER YEAR BY ETHNIC GROUP (2008-2012)

European/Other: 418 (Rate: 924.8) | Māori: 254 (Rate: 940) | Pacific Peoples: 24 (Rate: 899.6) | Asian Peoples: 18 (Rate: 401.7)
Rate per 100,000 children per year. Rates are not calculated for fewer than 5 events.

HOSPITAL ADMISSIONS RATE PER YEAR

Rate per year based on per 100,000 children.



COMMON CAUSES OF INJURY

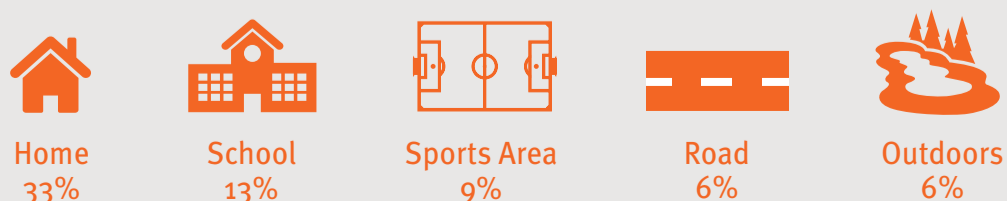
RANK	0-4 years (n=1,181)	5-9 years (n=1,161)	10-14 years (n=1,227)
1 st	Falls 38%	Falls 53%	Falls 44%
2 nd	Other specified 17%	Pedal cyclist (Non-MVTC) 8%	Other land transport 9%
3 rd	Hot water/surface burn 8%	Other specified 7%	Struck by/against 9%
4 th	Poisoning 6%	Struck by/against 6%	Pedal cyclist (Non-MVTC) 8%
5 th	Struck by/against 6%	Cuts/Piercing 6%	Cuts/Piercing 7%

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COMMON TYPES OF INJURY



COMMON PLACES OF INJURY



DEATHS

(for the period 2006-2010)

44 kids died of injury related causes.

of these **89%** were UNINTENTIONAL*

7% were SELF INFLICTED 2% were ASSAULT 2% were UNDETERMINED

8 kids die EVERY YEAR because of an unintentional injury.

0-4 year old kids are most at risk (62%).

69% are boys 31% are girls

NUMBER OF DEATHS BY ETHNIC GROUP

European/Other: 20 (Rate: 8.7) | Māori: 17 (Rate: 12.9) | Pacific Peoples: 45 | Asian Peoples: 45
Rate per 100,000 children per year. Rates are not calculated for fewer than 5 events.

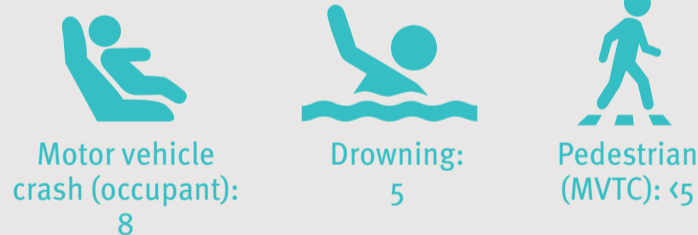
LEADING CAUSE OF DEATH

11 children died from suffocation.



Note: Care must be taken when interpreting these figures as there may be some cross-over between suffocation and SUDI. The majority of deaths in this category occurred in infants < 1 year whilst they were in bed.

Other causes are:



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CHILD INJURIES IN THE WAIRARAPA DHB REGION

INJURIES

(for the period 2008-2012)

362 kids were hospitalised for an injury.

of these **94%** were UNINTENTIONAL*

4% were SELF INFLICTED 2% were UNDETERMINED 1% were ASSAULT

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68 kids are hospitalised EVERY YEAR because of an unintentional injury.

57% are boys 43% are girls



10-14 year old kids are most at risk (36%).

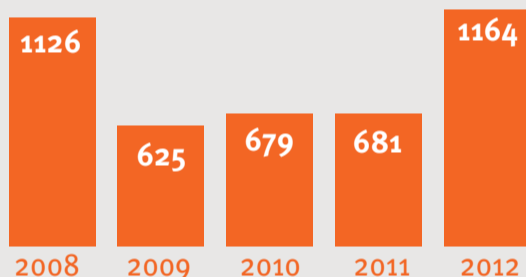
NUMBER OF ADMISSIONS PER YEAR BY ETHNIC GROUP (2008-2012)

European/Other: 43 (Rate: 797) | Māori: 21 (Rate: 978.8) | Pacific Peoples: <5 | Asian Peoples: <5

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HOSPITAL ADMISSIONS RATE PER YEAR

Rate per year based on per 100,000 children.



COMMON CAUSES OF INJURY

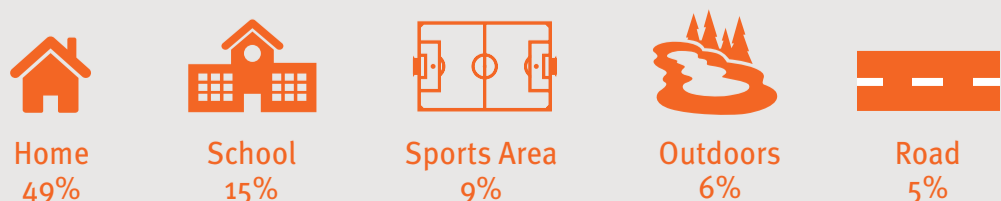
RANK	0-4 years (n=102)	5-9 years (n=116)	10-14 years (n=122)
1 st	Falls 41%	Falls 58%	Falls 46%
2 nd	Poisoning 13%	Other land transport 8%	Pedal cyclist (Non-MVTC) 11%
3 rd	Hot water/surface burn 11%	Cuts/Piercing 7%	Other land transport 7%
4 th	Struck by/against 9%	Other specified 7%	Other specified 6%
5 th	Other specified 9%	Struck by/against 4%	Cuts/Piercing 5%

MVTC = Motor Vehicle Traffic Crash

COMMON TYPES OF INJURY



COMMON PLACES OF INJURY



DEATHS

(for the period 2006-2010)

6 kids died of injury related causes.

ALL were UNINTENTIONAL*

<5 kids die EVERY YEAR because of an unintentional injury.

0-4 year old kids are most at risk (100%).



ALL are boys

NUMBER OF DEATHS BY ETHNIC GROUP

European/Other: <5 | Māori: <5

Rate per 100,000 children per year. Rates are not calculated for fewer than 5 events.

LEADING CAUSE OF DEATH

<5 children died from suffocation.



Note: Care must be taken when interpreting these figures as there may be some cross-over between suffocation and SUDI. The majority of deaths in this category occurred in infants < 1 year whilst they were in bed.

Other causes are:

Motor vehicle crash (occupant): <5

Drowning: <5

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CHILD INJURIES

IN THE WAITEMATA DHB REGION

INJURIES

(for the period 2008-2012)

4,067 kids were hospitalised for an injury.

of these **97%** were UNINTENTIONAL*

1% were SELF INFLICTED 1% were ASSAULT 1% were UNDETERMINED

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791 kids are hospitalised EVERY YEAR because of an unintentional injury.



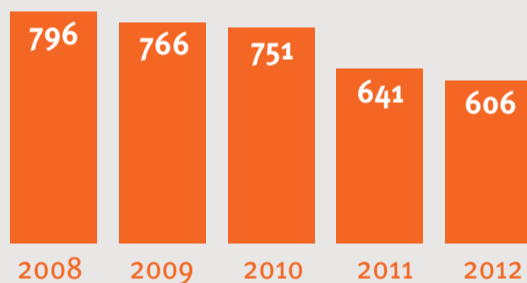
NUMBER OF ADMISSIONS PER YEAR BY ETHNIC GROUP (2008-2012)

European/Other: 467 (Rate: 755.5) | Māori: 143 (Rate: 783.2) | Pacific Peoples: 112 (Rate: 887.8) | Asian Peoples: 70 (Rate: 372.7)

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HOSPITAL ADMISSIONS RATE PER YEAR

Rate per year based on per 100,000 children.

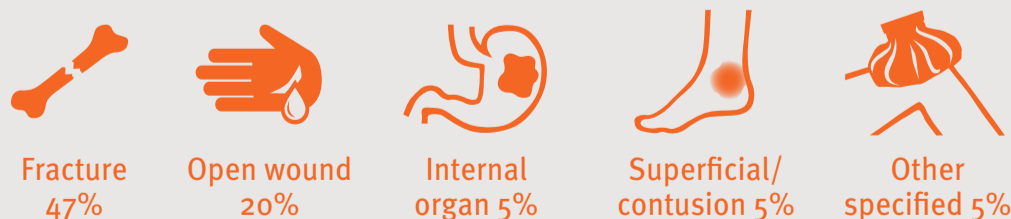


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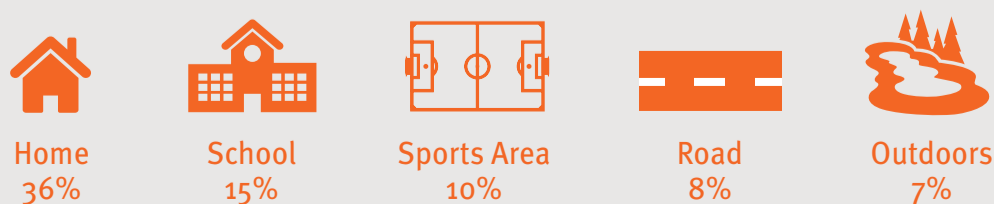
RANK	0-4 years (n=1,358)	5-9 years (n=1,335)	10-14 years (n=1,264)
1 st	Falls 40%	Falls 59%	Falls 47%
2 nd	Other specified 21%	Other specified 8%	Struck by/against 12%
3 rd	Poisoning 8%	Cuts/Piercing 7%	Pedal cyclist (Non-MVTC) 8%
4 th	Struck by/against 5%	Struck by/against 6%	Other land transport 6%
5 th	Hot water/surface burn 5%	Pedal cyclist (Non-MVTC) 5%	Cuts/Piercing 6%

MVTC = Motor Vehicle Traffic Crash

COMMON TYPES OF INJURY



COMMON PLACES OF INJURY



DEATHS

(for the period 2006-2010)

41 kids died of injury related causes.

of these **85%** were UNINTENTIONAL*

7% were ASSAULT 5% were SELF INFLICTED 2% were UNDETERMINED

7 kids die EVERY YEAR because of an unintentional injury.



NUMBER OF DEATHS BY ETHNIC GROUP

European/Other: 17 (Rate: 5.4) | Māori: 16 (Rate: 18.2) | Pacific Peoples: 45 | Asian Peoples: 45

Rate per 100,000 children per year. Rates are not calculated for fewer than 5 events.

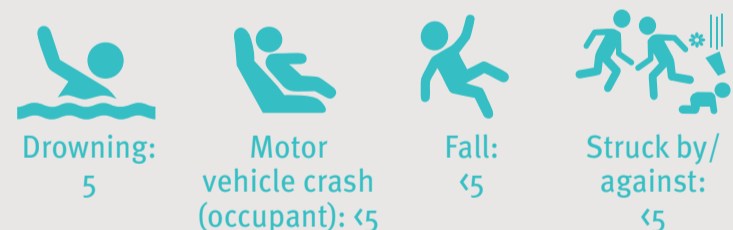
LEADING CAUSE OF DEATH

13 children died from suffocation.



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Other causes are:



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CHILD INJURIES IN THE WEST COAST DHB REGION

INJURIES

(for the period 2008-2012)

260 kids were hospitalised for an injury.

of these **98%** were UNINTENTIONAL*

1% were UNDETERMINED 1% were SELF INFLICTED 1% were ASSAULT

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51 kids are hospitalised EVERY YEAR because of an unintentional injury.



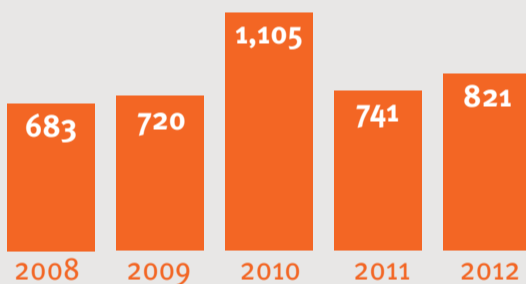
NUMBER OF ADMISSIONS PER YEAR BY ETHNIC GROUP (2008-2012)

Māori: 9 (Rate: 813.3) | European/Other: 40 (Rate: 791.1) | Pacific Peoples: <5 | Asian Peoples: <5

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HOSPITAL ADMISSIONS RATE PER YEAR

Rate per year based on per 100,000 children.

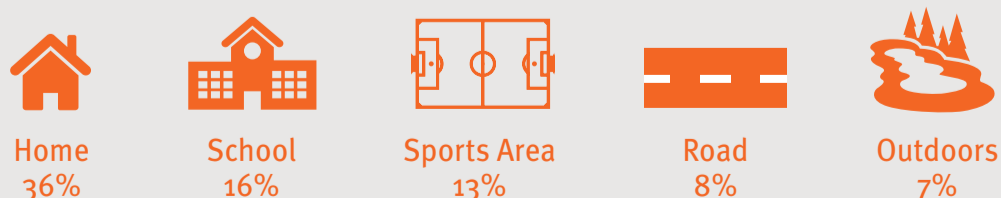


COMMON CAUSES OF INJURY

RANK	0-4 years (n=68)	5-9 years (n=86)	10-14 years (n=100)
1 st	Falls 34%	Falls 63%	Falls 38%
2 nd	Other specified 13%	Pedal cyclist (Non-MVTC) 6%	Struck by/against 16%
3 rd	Hot water/surface burn 10%	Struck by/against 6%	Other land transport 11%
4 th	Poisoning 7%	Cuts/Piercing 5%	Cuts/Piercing 8%
5 th	Struck by/against 7%	Other specified 5%	Pedal cyclist (Non-MVTC) 8%

MVTC = Motor Vehicle Traffic Crash

COMMON PLACES OF INJURY



DEATHS

(for the period 2006-2010)

<5 kids died of injury related causes.

of these **75%** were UNINTENTIONAL*

<5 kids die EVERY YEAR because of an unintentional injury.



NUMBER OF DEATHS BY ETHNIC GROUP

European/Other: <5

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COMMON TYPES OF INJURY



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CHILD INJURIES IN THE WHANGANUI DHB REGION

INJURIES

(for the period 2008-2012)

706 kids were hospitalised for an injury.

of these **96%** were UNINTENTIONAL*

2% were SELF INFLICTED 2% were ASSAULT 1% were UNDETERMINED

*Unintentional means injuries where there is no intent of harm. See "Common causes of injury" for examples.

136 kids are hospitalised EVERY YEAR because of an unintentional injury.

59% are boys 41% are girls



10-14 year old kids are most at risk (39%).

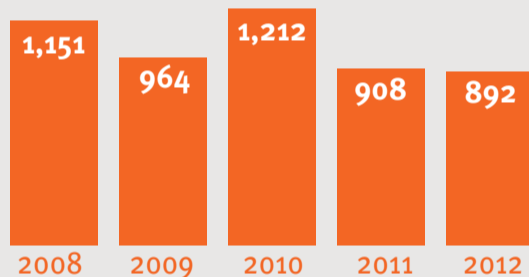
NUMBER OF ADMISSIONS PER YEAR BY ETHNIC GROUP (2008-2012)

European/Other: 78 (Rate: 1,074.4) | Māori: 53 (Rate: 983.6) | Pacific Peoples: <5 | Asian Peoples: <5

Rate per 100,000 children per year. Rates are not calculated for fewer than 5 events.

HOSPITAL ADMISSIONS RATE PER YEAR

Rate per year based on per 100,000 children



COMMON CAUSES OF INJURY

RANK	0-4 years (n=209)	5-9 years (n=203)	10-14 years (n=266)
1 st	Falls 39%	Falls 59%	Falls 40%
2 nd	Poisoning 14%	Struck by/against 7%	Struck by/against 12%
3 rd	Other specified 8%	Other land transport 6%	Other land transport (Non-MVTC) 12% Pedal cyclist (Non-MVTC) 12%
4 th	Struck by/against 7%	Cuts/piercing Pedal cyclist (Non MVTC) 5%	Cuts/Piercing 5%
5 th	Cuts/piercing Natural / environment 5%	Other specified 4%	Motor vehicle crash (occupant) 4%

MVTC = Motor Vehicle Traffic Crash

COMMON TYPES OF INJURY



Fracture 51%



Open wound 13%



Internal organ 6%



Superficial/contusion 6%



Poisoning 5%

COMMON PLACES OF INJURY



Home 40%



School 15%



Sports Area 10%



Road 7%



Outdoors 7%

DEATHS

(for the period 2006-2010)

11 kids died of injury related causes.



of these **73%** were UNINTENTIONAL*

18% were ASSAULT 9% were SELF INFLICTED

<5 kids die EVERY YEAR because of an unintentional injury.

0-4 year old kids are most at risk (63%).



75% are boys 25% are girls

NUMBER OF DEATHS BY ETHNIC GROUP

Māori: 7 (Rate: 26) | European/Other: <5

Rate per 100,000 children per year. Rates are not calculated for fewer than 5 events.

LEADING CAUSES OF DEATH



Suffocation: <5

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Motor vehicle crash (occupant): <5

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